



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Katsumi MIYATA, et al.

Group Art Unit: **2827**

Serial No.: **09/478,508**

Examiner: **GRAYBILL, David E.**

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For: **SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

November 4, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 11, 2003, please amend the above identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.